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SUBJECT:

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE ON DRUG ABUSE

In response to the President's desire to make a major statement on drug abuse, we have been pulling together and weighing the issues that should be included. All of the Federal agencies with drug responsibilities and a sample of State and local health and law enforcement officials have given us their thoughts. The enclosed list is a compilation of these inputs, as well as our own. The issues are categorized as "Themes", "Policy", "Legislative", and "Administrative" issues.

I would appreciate it if you would review this list and give me your thoughts and comments by June 2 so we can begin drafting the message.

Thank you.

Enclosure as stated.

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